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PRICES RECEIVED INDEX UP 3 POINTS

The May All Farm Products Index of Prices Received increased 3 points (2.0 percent) from April to 152 percent of its January-December 1977 average, according to the Agricultural Statistics Board. Increases in the prices of potatoes, lettuce, and hogs were partially offset by lower prices for cattle, eggs, and corn.

The index was 2 points (1.3 percent) below a year ago. Lower prices for milk, wheat, hogs, and corn were the major contributors to the decline from May 1990. Higher prices for cattle, tomatoes, lettuce, and apples were partially offsetting.

Feed grain and oilseed prices decreased from April while wheat prices were up. Hay prices, which generally move up from April to May, moved down reflecting ample forage supplies in most States. The all cattle price moved down slightly from April to May while the May all hog price was up sharply. The May lettuce price was more than double the April price due to temporary short supplies.

SUMMARY TABLE

INDEX 1977=100	1990		1991	
	APR	MAY	APR	MAY
PRICES RECEIVED	151	154	149	152
PRICES PAID	183	2/183	190	3/190
RATIO 1/	83	84	78	80

1/ RATIO OF INDEX OF PRICES RECEIVED BY FARMERS TO INDEX OF PRICES PAID. 2/ APRIL 1990 PRICES PAID INDEX. 3/ APRIL 1991 PRICES PAID INDEX.

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PRICES RECEIVED

The All Farm Products Index of Prices Received by Farmers for May increased 3 points (2.0 percent) from the previous month to 152 percent of its 1977 average. Compared with a year earlier, the index was down 2 points (1.3 percent).

ALL CROPS: The May all crops index was 137, up 4.6 percent from April and 2.2 percent above a year earlier.

POTATOES AND DRY BEANS: The May index for potatoes and dry beans was 248, up 51 percent from a month earlier and 6.9 percent above May 1990. The potato price increased from \$6.83 per cwt in April to \$11.00 in May. Dry beans increased 30 cents during the same period to \$19.90 per cwt.

COMMERCIAL VEGETABLES: The commercial vegetable index, at 196, was up 16 percent from last month and 59 percent from last year. Lettuce had the largest effect on the index increase followed by celery and onions. The increase was moderated by lower prices for tomatoes, sweet corn, carrots, and asparagus.

ALL FRUIT: At 238, the all fruit index was up 12 percent from last month and 14 percent from a year ago. The largest contributors to the increase in the index were lemons, oranges, and peaches followed by apples and strawberries. The only fruit in the index that decreased in price from last month was grapefruit which was down slightly.

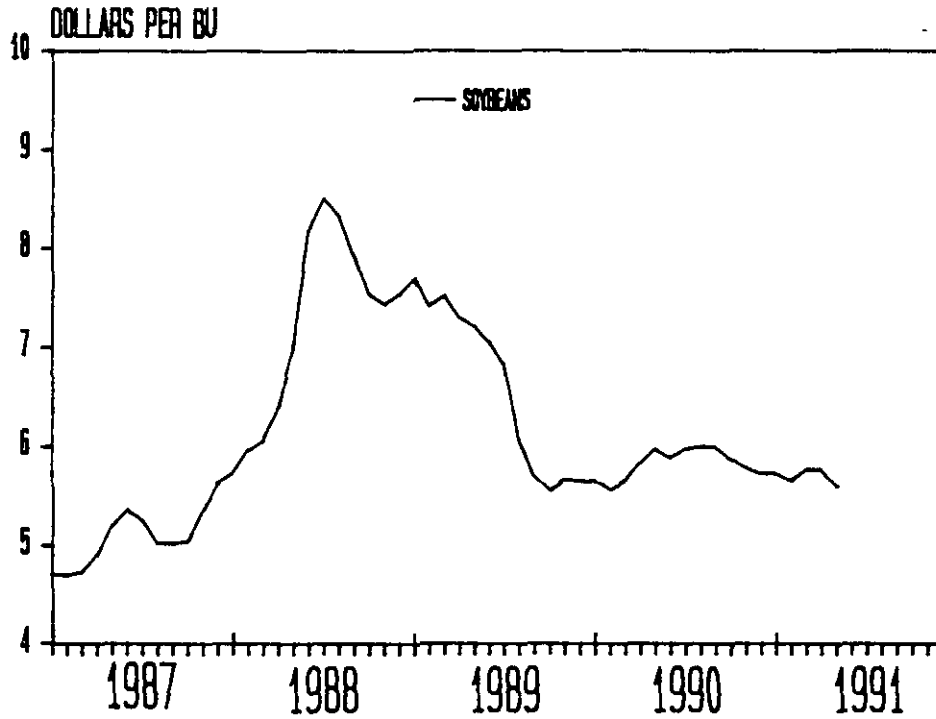
FEED GRAINS AND HAY: At 119, the May index for feed grains and hay was 4.0 percent below the previous month and 12 percent less than May 1990. Prices for all items were lower than in April. Corn was 8 cents lower at \$2.34 per bushel and sorghum grain was down 25 cents at \$3.80 per cwt. Barley averaged \$2.03 per bushel, down 6 cents and oats was one cent lower at \$1.15 per bushel. Hay was \$84.20 per ton in May, down \$4.40 from the previous month.

OIL-BEARING CROPS: The index of prices received for oil-bearing crops was 92, down 2.1 percent from April and 1.1 percent below a year earlier. Soybeans, at \$5.59 per bushel, declined 18 cents from April while flaxseed declined 14 cents to \$4.53 per bushel.

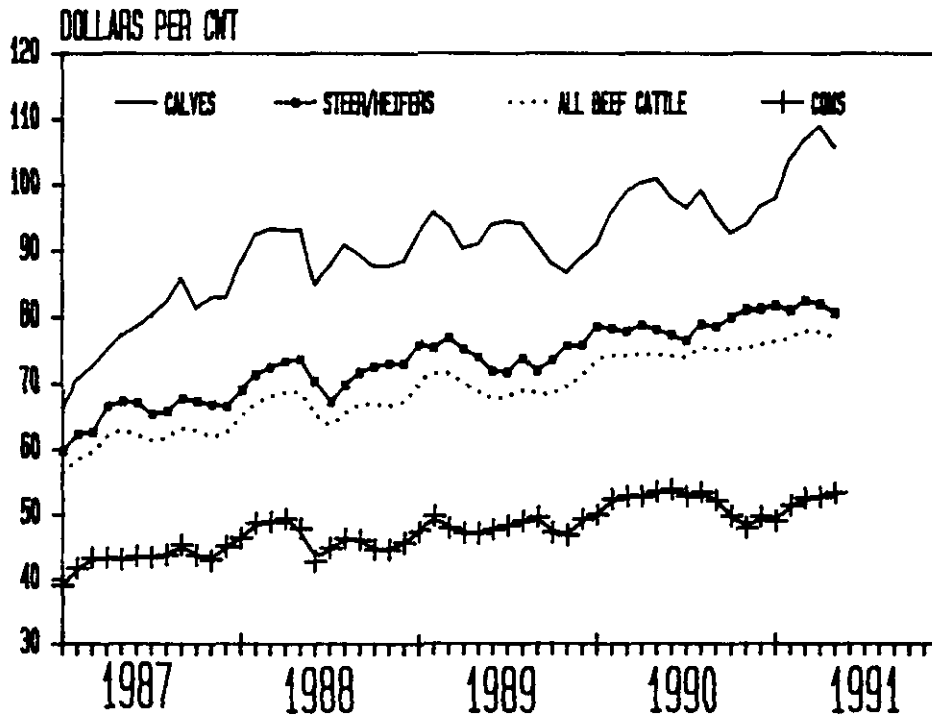
LIVESTOCK AND PRODUCTS: The May index was 166, the same as a month earlier but 4 percent less than a year ago.

MEAT ANIMALS: The May meat animal price index increased 0.5 percent from last month to 199 and is equal to the May 1990 index. Beef cattle prices averaged \$77.20 per cwt in May, down 80 cents from April. The May steer and heifer price declined \$1.20 to \$80.80 per cwt, while the cow price of \$53.40 per cwt increased 70 cents from the previous month. The calf price of \$106.00 per cwt was down \$3.00 from the record high price established a month earlier. The May hog price increased \$3.90 to \$54.70 per cwt, barrows and gilts increased \$4.00 to \$55.20 per cwt, whereas the sow price declined 30 cents to \$46.20 per cwt.

PRICES RECEIVED BY FARMERS, US



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INDEX NUMBERS OF PRICES RECEIVED BY FARMERS, UNITED STATES, MAY 1991,
WITH COMPARISONS

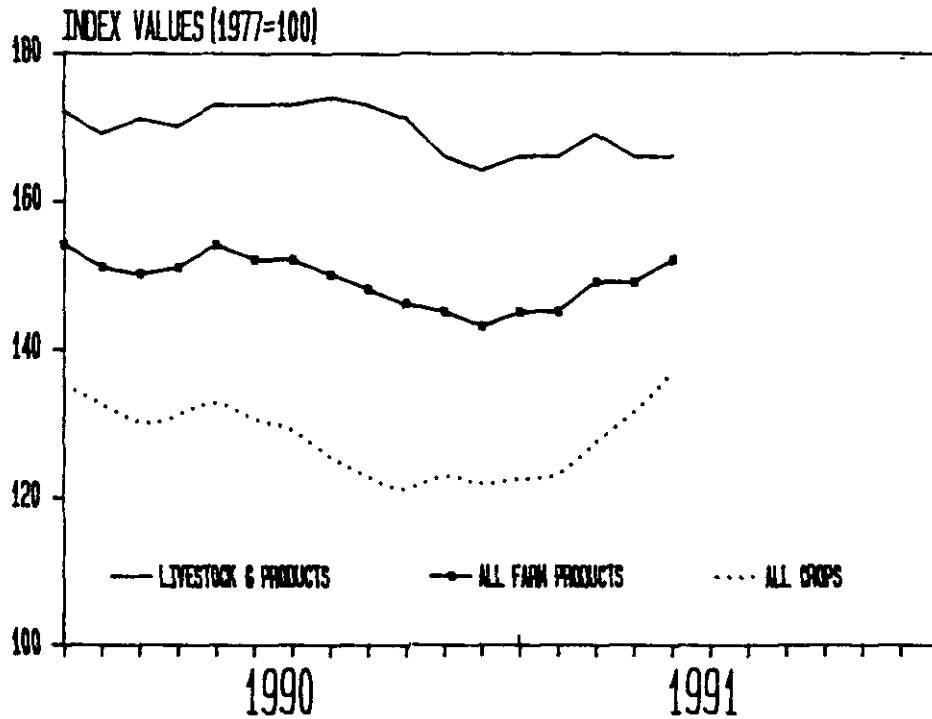
INDEX	1910-14=100				1977=100					
	AVERAGE:		1990 :		1991		1990 :		1991	
	JAN-DEC:		1977 :		MAY :		MAY :		MAY :	
UNADJUSTED										
ALL FARM PRODUCTS	457	703	*679	695	154	149	152			
ALL CROPS	433	580	*566	594	134	131	137			
FOOD GRAINS	275	382	*303	309	139	*110	112			
FEED GRAINS & HAY	316	428	*392	377	136	*124	119			
FEED GRAINS	299	384	*355	343	128	*119	115			
COTTON	511	559	*598	605	109	*117	118			
TOBACCO	972	1432	1488	1488	147	153	153			
OIL-BEARING CROPS	652	605	615	600	93	94	92			
FRUIT, ALL	370	771	*788	880	208	*213	238			
FRESH MARKET 1/	362	804	*824	928	222	*228	257			
COMMERCIAL VEGETABLES	498	612	*842	977	123	*169	196			
FRESH MARKET	658	728	*1070	1326	111	*163	201			
POTATOES & DRY BEANS	363	841	*593	900	232	*164	248			
LIVESTOCK & PRODUCTS	481	831	*798	800	173	166	166			
MEAT ANIMALS	564	1120	*1116	1123	199	*198	199			
DAIRY PRODUCTS	594	826	691	691	139	116	116			
POULTRY & EGGS	228	288	278	272	126	122	119			
FOOD COMMODITIES					165	160	165			
SEASONALLY ADJUSTED										
FRESH MARKET FRUIT 1/	352	776	*924	914	220	*262	259			
FRESH MARKET VEGETABLES	663	805	*1010	1514	121	*152	228			
POTATOES & DRY BEANS	365	747	*574	789	205	*157	216			
DAIRY PRODUCTS	594	860	713	720	145	120	121			
POULTRY & EGGS	228	304	280	287	133	123	126			

1/ FRESH MARKET FOR NON-CITRUS. FRESH MARKET AND PROCESSING FOR CITRUS.
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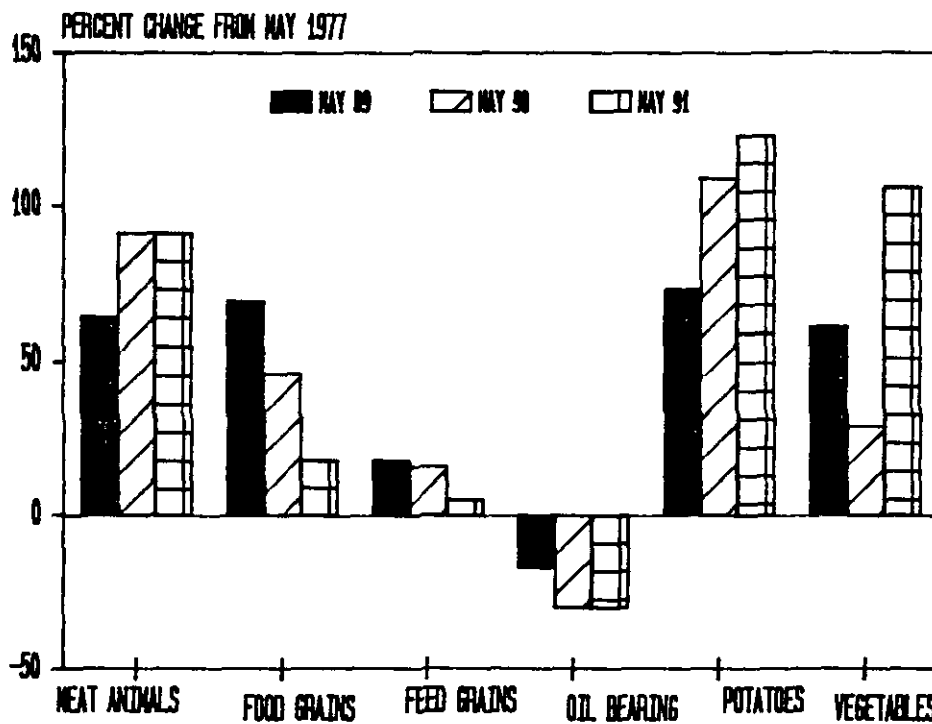
SELECTED INDEX NUMBERS FOR PRICES RECEIVED AND PAID BY FARMERS,
1977=100, BY MONTHS, UNITED STATES, 1990 AND 1991

MONTH	INDEX OF PRICES RECEIVED						INDEX OF PRICES PAID			
	ALL FARM PRODUCTS		ALL CROPS		LIVESTOCK AND PRODUCTS		COMM, SERVICES: INT., TAXES, WAGE RATES		PRODUCTION ITEMS	
	1990	1991	1990	1991	1990	1991	1990	1991	1990	1991
JAN	154	145	135	123	172	166	181	188	170	173
FEB	151	145	133	122	169	166				
MAR	150	149	129	128	171	169				
APR	151	149	131	131	170	166	183	190	170	175
MAY	154	152	134	137	173	166				
JUN	152		130		173					
JUL	152		130		173		184		170	
AUG	150		125		174					
SEP	148		123		173					
OCT	146		120		171		187		174	
NOV	145		124		166					
DEC	143		121		164					

INDEX OF PRICES RECEIVED BY FARMERS, US

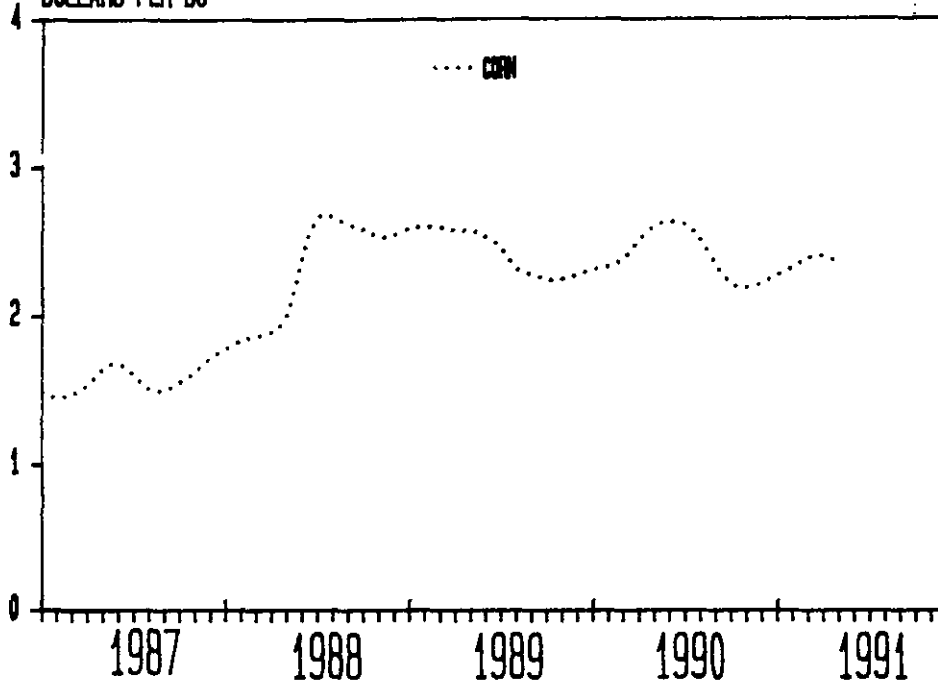


PRICES RECEIVED INDEX COMPARISONS



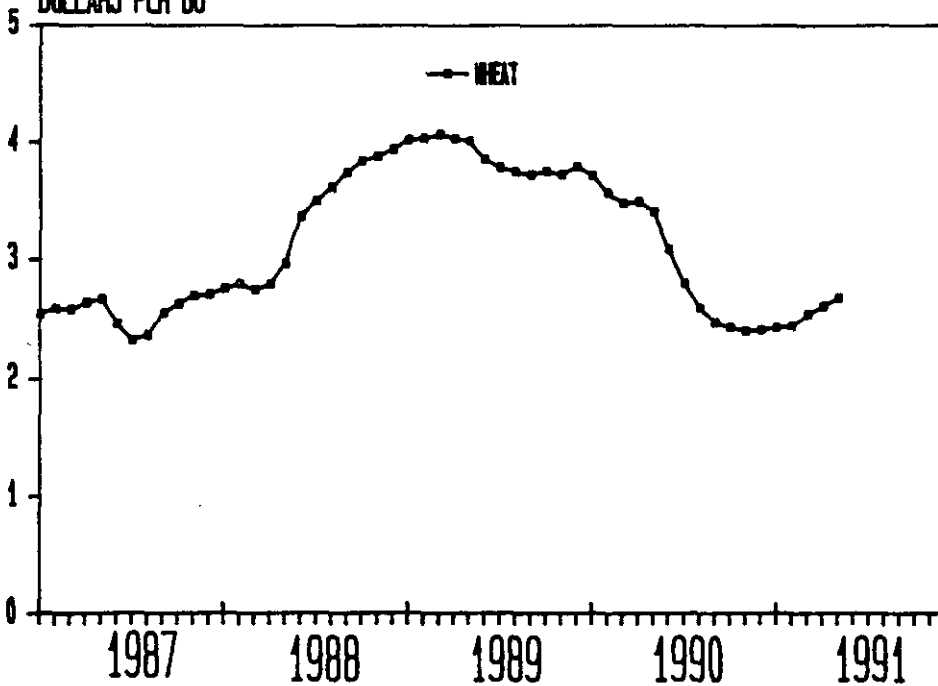
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PRICES RECEIVED BY FARMERS, UNITED STATES,
MAY 1991, WITH COMPARISONS

COMMODITY	UNIT	AVERAGE JAN - DEC 1977	ENTIRE MONTH		PRELIMINARY
			MAY 1990	APR 1991	MAY 1991
DOLLARS					
FIELD CROPS					
BARLEY, ALL	BU	1.91	2.36	2.09	2.03
FEED	BU		2.28	1.97	1.91
MALTING	BU		2.53	2.25	2.15
BEANS, DRY EDIBLE	CWT	17.60	33.40	19.60	19.90
CORN	BU	2.03	2.62	2.42	2.34
COTTON, AMER UPLAND	LB	.605	.662	.708	.716
COTTONSEED	TON	79.70			
FLAXSEED	BU	5.78	8.23	4.67	4.53
HAY, ALL, BALED 1/	TON	57.10	99.90	88.60	84.20
ALFALFA	TON		108.00	93.40	89.00
OTHER	TON		67.80	61.50	61.10
OATS	BU	1.29	1.45	1.16	1.15
PEANUTS, IN-SHELL	LB	.208			
POTATOES	CWT	3.78	9.32	6.83	11.00
RICE, ROUGH	CWT	7.94	7.28	7.46	7.29
SORGHUM GRAIN	CWT	3.11	4.07	4.05	3.80
SOYBEANS	BU	6.82	5.97	5.77	5.59
SUNFLOWER 2/	CWT		12.00	11.40	11.10
TOBACCO	LB	1.141		1.870	
WHEAT, ALL	BU	2.29	3.40	2.60	2.67
WINTER	BU	2.25	3.33	2.60	2.70
DURUM	BU		3.50	2.62	2.66
OTHER SPRING	BU	2.42	3.49	2.60	2.62
HARD RED	BU		3.45	2.57	
SOFT RED	BU		3.10	2.64	
WHITE	BU		3.28	2.74	
FRUIT					
CITRUS (EQUIV ON-TREE)					
GRAPEFRUIT	BOX	1.66	7.67	5.10	4.91
LEMONS	BOX	2.18	12.20	16.56	23.06
LIMES	BOX	34.42	28.50	48.50	5.50
ORANGES	BOX	2.78	7.82	7.37	7.95
TANGELOS	BOX	3.68			
TANGERINES	BOX	3.18	5.99		
TEMPLES	BOX	1.17			
NON-CITRUS					
APPLES, FRESH 3/	LB	.120	.126	.199	.221
PEACHES, FRESH 3/	LB	.147	.292		.344
PEARS, FRESH 3/	TON	145.00	438.00	409.00	430.00
STRAWBERRIES, FRESH	LB	.433	.352	.595	.650

1/ MID-MONTH PRICE.

2/ MN, KS, ND AND SD AVERAGE.

3/ EQUIVALENT PACKINGHOUSE-DOOR RETURNS FOR CA, NY (APPLES ONLY), OR (EXCEPT PEACHES) AND WA. PRICES AS SOLD FOR OTHER STATES.

PRICES RECEIVED BY FARMERS, UNITED STATES,
MAY 1991, WITH COMPARISONS (CON'T)

COMMODITY	UNIT	AVERAGE JAN - DEC 1977	ENTIRE MONTH			PRELIMINARY
			MAY 1990	APR 1991	MAY 1991	
DOLLARS						
VEGETABLES, FRESH 1/						
ASPARAGUS	CWT	52.00	65.00	71.10		68.20
BROCCOLI	CWT	19.90	17.30	23.00		12.30
CARROTS	CWT	11.40	7.99	13.40		12.30
CAULIFLOWER	CWT	23.40	18.80	33.30		19.00
CELERY	CWT	8.76	13.60	11.00		19.30
CORN, SWEET	CWT	9.14	15.60	19.70		17.00
HONEYDEW MELONS	CWT	11.20	27.80			19.50
LETTUCE	CWT	7.60	7.95	8.93		19.50
ONIONS	CWT	10.30	13.40	20.10		21.90
TOMATOES	CWT	23.40	22.30	49.30		47.20
LIVESTOCK						
CALVES	CWT	36.80	101.00	109.00		106.00
CATTLE, ALL BEEF	CWT	34.50	74.60	78.00		77.20
COWS	CWT	24.40	53.50	52.70		53.40
STEERS & HEIFERS	CWT	37.30	78.30	82.00		80.80
MILK COWS 2/	HEAD	504.00		1080.00		
HOGS, ALL	CWT	40.10	61.20	50.80		54.70
BARROWS & GILTS	CWT		61.90	51.20		55.20
SOWS	CWT		52.80	46.50		46.20
LAMBS	CWT	51.40	59.80	54.60		58.30
SHEEP	CWT	13.50	19.70	21.30		22.70
WOOL 3/	LB	.714	.940	.584		.674
DAIRY AND POULTRY						
MILK, ALL 4/	CWT	9.71	13.50	11.30		5/11.30
FLUID GRADE	CWT	9.94	13.60	11.40		5/11.30
MFG GRADE	CWT	8.71	12.70	10.10		5/10.20
BROILERS, LIVE	LB	.235	.350	.304		.313
EGGS, ALL 6/	DOZ	.541	.612	.651		.595
MARKET 6/7/	DOZ		.509	.562		.497
TURKEYS, LIVE 6/	LB	.348	.383	.367		.389
ADJUSTED FOR SEASONAL VARIATION						
EGGS, ALL	DOZ	.545	.644	.614		.626
MILK, ALL 4/	CWT	9.71	14.06	11.65		11.77

- 1/ F.O.B. SHIPPING POINT. CURRENT MONTH PRICES ARE FOR FIRST HALF OF MONTH.
2/ ANIMALS SOLD FOR DAIRY HERD REPLACEMENT ONLY. PRICES AVAILABLE FOR JAN, APR, JUL, AND OCT.
3/ AVERAGE LOCAL PRICE, EXCLUDING INCENTIVE PAYMENTS.
4/ BEFORE DEDUCTIONS FOR HAULING AND GOVERNMENT WITHOLDING, BUT INCLUDES BULK TANK, QUANTITY, AND OTHER PREMIUMS. EXCLUDES HAULING SUBSIDIES.
5/ FAT TEST PERCENT: ALL MILK 3.58, FLUID MILK 3.58, MFG GRADE 3.61.
6/ MID-MONTH PRICE.
7/ INCLUDES EGGS SOLD RETAIL BY THE PRODUCER.

WHEAT: PRICES RECEIVED, BY STATES, APRIL AND MAY 1991

STATE	ALL WHEAT		WINTER WHEAT		DURUM WHEAT		OTH SPRING WHEAT	
	APR 1/	MAY 2/	APR 1/	MAY 2/	APR 1/	MAY 2/	APR 1/	MAY 2/
	DOLLARS PER BUSHEL							
AZ		3.30				3.30		
AR	2.68	2.88	2.68	2.88				
CA	2.95	3.02	2.84	2.90	3.29	3.36		
CO	2.56	2.58	2.56	2.58			2.52	2.47
GA		2.60		2.60				
ID	2.53	2.85	2.55	2.90			2.51	2.76
IL	2.69	2.82	2.69	2.82				
IN	2.63	2.71	2.63	2.71				
KS	2.52	2.60	2.52	2.60				
MI	2.46	2.50	2.46	2.50				
MN	2.61	2.65	2.63	2.51	3.03	2.76	2.61	2.65
MO	2.54	2.50	2.54	2.50				
MT	2.65	2.79	2.55	2.72	2.66	2.70	2.80	2.90
NE	2.52	2.60	2.52	2.60				
ND	2.54	2.55	2.16	2.25	2.58	2.55	2.52	2.55
OH	2.65	2.65	2.65	2.65				
OK	2.53	2.58	2.53	2.58				
OR	3.10	3.08	3.10	3.08				
SD	2.59	2.60	2.45	2.55	2.73	2.67	2.67	2.63
TX	2.59	2.69	2.59	2.69				
WA	2.96	3.01	2.96	3.01				
US	2.60	2.67	2.60	2.70	2.62	2.66	2.60	2.62

1/ ENTIRE MONTH.
2/ MID-MONTH.

PRICES RECEIVED FOR SELECTED AGRICULTURAL COMMODITIES, BY MONTHS, UNITED STATES, 1990 AND 1991

MONTH	ALL WHEAT		CORN		SOYBEANS		BEEF CATTLE 1/		ALL HOGS	
	1990	1991 2/	1990	1991 2/	1990	1991 2/	1990	1991 2/	1990	1991 2/
	-----DOLLARS PER BUSHEL-----						-----DOLLARS PER CWT-----			
JAN	3.71	2.42	2.31	2.27	5.65	5.72	73.60	76.60	47.30	50.00
FEB	3.56	2.43	2.32	2.32	5.56	5.65	74.60	77.00	48.20	52.10
MAR	3.48	2.53	2.37	2.39	5.65	5.76	74.30	78.50	51.30	51.40
APR	3.49	2.60	2.51	2.42	5.82	5.77	74.70	78.00	53.80	50.80
MAY	3.40	2.67	2.62	2.34	5.97	5.59	74.60	77.30	61.20	54.70
JUN	3.08		2.63		5.88		74.20		60.30	
JUL	2.79		2.62		5.97		73.60		60.80	
AUG	2.58		2.51		6.00		76.00		55.90	
SEP	2.46		2.32		5.99		75.00		54.30	
OCT	2.43		2.19		5.87		75.50		56.80	
NOV	2.39		2.16		5.77		75.30		50.20	
DEC	2.40		2.22		5.72		76.10		47.80	

1/ COWS, STEERS AND HEIFERS.
2/ CURRENT MONTH PRICES ARE MID-MONTH; PRICES FOR PREVIOUS MONTHS ARE FOR THE ENTIRE MONTH.

GRAINS: PRICES RECEIVED, BY STATES, APRIL AND MAY 1991

STATE	BARLEY 1/		CORN		OATS		SOYBEANS		SORGHUM GRAIN	
	APR 2/	MAY 3/	APR 2/	MAY 3/	APR 2/	MAY 3/	APR 2/	MAY 3/	APR 2/	MAY 3/
	DOLLARS PER BUSHEL						DOLLARS PER CWT			
AL							5.92	5.72		
AR							5.94	5.76	4.00	4.03
CA	2.53	2.55			1.62	1.60				
CO	2.41	2.48	2.48	2.48					4.23	3.85
GA			2.97	2.87			5.75	5.65		
ID	2.40	2.27								
IL			2.52	2.38	1.24	1.17	5.87	5.66		
IN			2.42	2.38	1.34	1.38	5.82	5.62		
IA			2.37	2.29	1.23	1.20	5.72	5.52		
KS			2.48	2.43			5.79	5.52	3.87	3.78
KY			2.55	2.51			5.86	5.75		
LA							5.77	5.76		
MI			2.39	2.30	1.33	1.25	5.64	5.60		
MN	1.94	1.90	2.28	2.23	1.08	1.10	5.60	5.49		
MS							5.82	5.69		
MO			2.60	2.50			5.77	5.70	4.21	4.10
MT	2.52	2.61			1.31	1.30				
NE			2.40	2.32	1.21	1.20	5.65	5.48	3.94	3.69
NM										
NY					1.44	1.29				
NC			2.60	2.77			5.84	5.64		
ND	1.93	1.93			1.00	1.00				
OH			2.51	2.40	1.30	1.20	5.86	5.63		
OK									4.03	3.92
OR	2.32	2.38			1.55	1.51				
PA			2.77	2.71	1.47	1.44				
SC							5.98	5.67		
SD	1.89	1.84	2.28	2.21	1.11	1.09	5.56	5.38	3.83	3.67
TN							5.96	5.77		
TX			2.60	2.58			5.30	4.97	4.38	4.28
UT	2.46	2.49								
WA	2.17	2.01								
WI			2.37	2.29	1.14	1.14				
US	2.09	2.03	2.42	2.34	1.16	1.15	5.77	5.59	4.05	3.80

1/ THE THREE-STATE (MN, ND AND SD) FEED BARLEY PRICE FOR MAY 1991 IS \$1.77.
 2/ ENTIRE MONTH. 3/ MID-MONTH.

UPLAND COTTON AND RICE: PRICES RECEIVED AND MARKETINGS,
 UNITED STATES, MAY 1991, WITH COMPARISONS

ITEM	UNIT	MAR 1991 1/	APR 1991 1/	MAY 1991 2/
COTTON, UPLAND				
AVERAGE PRICE	DOLLARS/POUND	.685	.708	.716
MARKETINGS 3/	THOUSAND BALES	424	395	NA
RICE				
AVERAGE PRICE	DOLLARS/CWT	7.08	7.46	7.29
MARKETINGS 4/	THOUSAND CWT	14120	11030	NA

1/ ENTIRE MONTH. 2/ BASED ON PURCHASES FOR THE FIRST HALF OF THE MONTH.
 3/ MARKETINGS ARE BASED ON EXPANDED DATA FROM A SAMPLE OF APPROXIMATELY 35 PERCENT OF THE COTTON BUYERS. 4/ PURCHASES FROM PRODUCERS AS REPORTED BY PRIVATE FIRMS AND RICE (ROUGH EQUIVALENT) SHIPPED FROM PRODUCERS AS REPORTED BY COOPERATIVE MILLS.

FIELD CROPS: PRICES RECEIVED, BY STATES, APRIL AND MAY 1991

STATE	: DRY EDIBLE BEANS :		: FLAXSEED :		TOBACCO :	PEANUTS 3/	
	: APR 1/ :	MAY 2/ :	: APR 1/ :	MAY 2/ :	MAY 4/ :	: APR 1/ :	MAY 2/ :
	: DOLLARS PER CWT		: DOLLARS PER BU		: DOLLARS PER POUND		
AL	:	:	:	:	:	:	:
CA	:	32.60	32.40	:	:	:	:
CO	:	15.90	17.50	:	:	:	:
FL	:	:	:	:	:	:	:
GA	:	:	:	:	:	:	:
ID	:	17.80	18.00	:	:	:	:
IN	:	:	:	:	:	:	:
KY	:	:	:	:	:	:	:
MD	:	:	:	:	:	:	:
MI	:	18.20	18.30	:	:	:	:
MN	:	22.90	20.10	5.21	5.00	:	:
MO	:	:	:	:	:	:	:
NE	:	16.60	17.80	:	:	:	:
NC	:	:	:	:	:	:	:
ND	:	16.50	16.50	4.52	4.45	:	:
OH	:	:	:	:	:	:	:
OK	:	:	:	:	:	:	:
SC	:	:	:	:	:	:	:
SD	:	:	:	4.37	4.34	:	:
TN	:	:	:	:	:	:	:
TX	:	:	:	:	:	:	:
VA	:	:	:	:	:	:	:
WA	:	20.40	21.00	:	:	:	:
WV	:	:	:	:	:	:	:
US	:	19.60	19.90	4.67	4.53	:	:

- 1/ ENTIRE MONTH.
2/ MID-MONTH.
3/ IN-SHELL.

FIELD CROPS AND APPLES: PRICES RECEIVED, BY STATES,
APRIL AND MAY 1991

STATE	COTTON AMERICAN UPLAND		COTTON-SEED 5/	MAY HAY, BALED 3/			APPLES FRESH USE 1/4/
	APR 1/	MAY 2/		ALL	ALFALFA	OTHER	
	DOLLARS PER POUND		DOLLARS PER TON			DOL/LB	
AL	.777	.828					
AZ	.736	.732	91.00	91.00	60.00		
AR	.652	.643	55.00	120.00	48.00		
CA	.823	.780	96.00	97.00	80.00		
CO			77.00	77.00	74.00		
CT						.310	
GA	.775	.814					
ID			83.00	84.00	71.00	.266	
IL			79.00	80.00	60.00		
IN			71.00	78.00	58.00		
IA			58.00	60.00	43.00		
KS			65.00	66.00	47.00		
KY			73.00	102.00	66.00		
LA	.652	.651					
ME						.290	
MD						.378	
MA						.300	
MI			68.00	70.00	50.00	.192	
MN			76.00	82.00	50.00		
MS	.643	.638					
MO			63.00	80.00	54.00		
MT			58.00	59.00	51.00		
NE			50.00	52.00	44.00		
NV			96.00	98.00	88.00		
NH						.320	
NJ						.270	
NM			106.00	108.00	91.00		
NY			77.00	84.00	67.00	.187	
NC							
ND			60.00	72.00	46.00		
OH			93.00	100.00	50.00		
OK			66.00	82.00	58.00		
OR			93.00	104.00	68.00	.163	
PA			95.00	108.00	78.00		
SD			56.00	59.00	41.00		
TN	.662	.640					
TX	.642	.776	67.00	102.00	57.00		
UT			66.00	68.00	59.00		
VT						.270	
VA							
WA			79.00	76.00	110.00	.225	
WV							
WI			47.00	51.00	37.00		
WY			68.00	69.00	67.00		
US	.708	.716	84.20	89.00	61.10	.221	

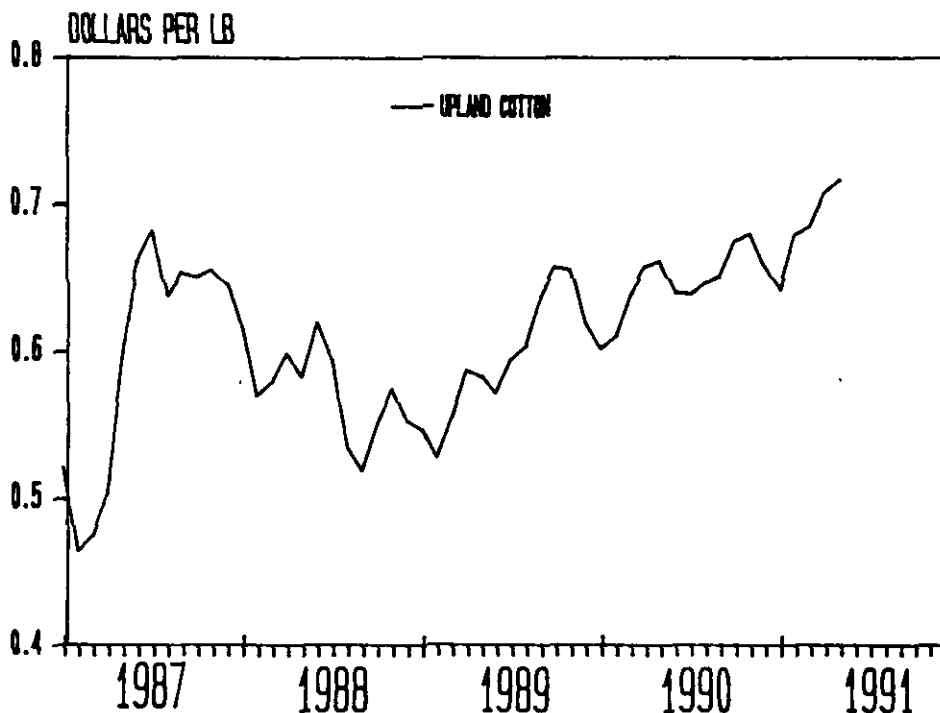
- 1/ ENTIRE MONTH.
- 2/ BASED ON SALES DURING THE FIRST HALF OF THE MONTH.
- 3/ MID-MONTH.
- 4/ EQUIVALENT P.H.D. RETURNS FOR CA, NY, OR, AND WA. PRICE AT POINT OF FIRST SALE FOR OTHER STATES.

POTATOES: PRICES RECEIVED, BY STATES,
APRIL AND MAY 1991

STATE	APR	MAY	STATE	APR	MAY
	DOLLARS PER CWT			DOLLARS PER CWT	
AL		18.00	NY - ALL	9.25	9.90
AZ	35.10	20.70	- LONG ISLAND	6.00	6.00
CA - ALL	6.70	10.60	- UPSTATE	9.40	10.10
- WINTER	20.60		NC		25.00
- SPRING		12.20	ND	7.65	6.55
- SUMMER			OH	7.70	
- FALL	5.30	5.65	OR	5.65	5.50
CO	4.35	4.10	PA	8.55	8.50
FL	27.10	20.10	TX	7.00	12.00
ID - ALL 1/	5.20	4.95	VA		
- FRESH 2/	3.80	NA	WA	4.90	4.70
- PROCESSING	4.70	NA	WI	5.90	6.20
ME	6.95	6.50			
MI	7.95	9.80	US - ALL 1/	6.83	11.00
MN	7.00	6.50	- FRESH 2/	8.14	NA
NJ			- PROCESSING	5.37	NA

- 1/ AVERAGE PRICE OF POTATOES SOLD FOR ALL USES, INCLUDING TABLE STOCK, PROCESSING, SEED AND LIVESTOCK FEED.
2/ FRESH MARKET PRICES ONLY, INCLUDES TABLE STOCK PRICES.

PRICES RECEIVED FOR UPLAND COTTON, US



CATTLE: PRICES RECEIVED, BY STATES, APRIL AND MAY 1991

STATE	COWS 1/		STEERS & HEIFERS:		BEEF CATTLE 4/		CALVES	
	APR 2/	MAY 3/	APR 2/	MAY 3/	APR 2/	MAY 3/	APR 2/	MAY 3/
DOLLARS PER CWT								
AL	56.30	56.20	86.30	82.80	80.00	77.20	108.00	103.00
AZ	54.10	54.30	79.40	78.60	76.00	75.20	103.00	107.00
AR	56.90	56.40	89.10	83.00	71.20	68.10	110.00	108.00
CA	48.70	50.30	77.40	78.10	62.30	63.40	93.20	94.00
CO	55.20	56.00	82.10	83.00	81.20	82.20	112.00	110.00
FL	52.00	53.00	85.90	85.00	59.80	61.00	115.00	112.00
GA	55.00	56.90	83.40	83.50	64.50	65.40	103.00	106.00
ID	51.00	50.80	75.30	73.90	68.40	67.40	104.00	102.00
IL	51.20	49.90	79.90	78.20	79.00	77.40	111.00	107.00
IN	50.90	52.40	74.70	72.70	66.70	65.80	85.50	84.30
IA	54.50	55.40	80.10	78.20	77.30	75.70	107.00	105.00
KS	52.90	52.90	81.60	83.60	80.60	82.40	109.00	104.00
KY	51.20	52.00	85.50	85.00	76.10	76.10	105.00	104.00
LA	53.80	52.00	86.80	85.50	65.20	62.10	109.00	105.50
MI	50.60	51.50	71.90	69.00	64.40	62.90	106.00	110.00
MN	50.90	52.30	77.60	75.00	73.20	71.40	115.00	117.00
MS	56.00	57.60	85.70	84.80	65.80	66.60	109.00	105.00
MO	53.80	52.80	90.90	89.00	83.70	81.00	109.00	107.00
MT	53.90	55.10	85.10	86.70	71.30	70.90	101.00	101.00
NE	51.40	53.40	82.50	80.00	79.70	77.60	110.00	109.00
NM	56.10	56.10	77.50	74.00	70.50	68.10	111.00	106.00
NY	48.50	50.00	69.10	68.50	52.50	53.50	125.00	140.00
ND	52.20	52.10	86.80	85.50	77.80	74.10	102.00	102.00
OH	49.80	51.00	79.20	78.00	75.80	74.80	97.40	93.00
OK	54.70	55.00	85.30	87.00	80.00	81.60	110.00	110.00
OR	50.10	50.60	84.10	82.40	73.50	72.50	95.80	94.80
PA	52.00	55.00	76.10	75.10	69.70	69.70	128.00	131.00
SD	53.60	53.30	84.30	82.70	80.20	78.90	105.00	107.00
TN	52.80	54.30	85.00	86.40	64.30	65.90	103.00	100.00
TX	56.90	56.40	82.60	80.60	81.20	79.40	106.00	102.00
UT	52.70	53.60	78.80	78.40	76.80	76.70	104.00	102.00
VA	51.50	52.50	84.10	83.90	76.40	72.90	99.20	100.00
WA	49.10	50.90	80.40	79.70	74.30	74.20	96.20	96.10
WI	51.20	53.00	76.60	74.70	65.90	65.60	126.00	137.00
WY	58.50	58.40	91.70	89.50	84.30	82.70	108.00	107.00
US	52.70	53.40	82.00	80.80	78.00	77.20	109.00	106.00

- 1/ BEEF COWS AND CULL DAIRY COWS SOLD FOR SLAUGHTER.
- 2/ ENTIRE MONTH.
- 3/ MID-MONTH.
- 4/ "COWS" AND "STEERS AND HEIFERS" COMBINED.

CITRUS FRUIT: PRICES AND EQUIVALENT RETURNS, BY UTILIZATION,
BY STATES, MAY 1991

COMMODITY, STATE AND AREA	F.O.B. PACKED FRESH	EQUIVALENT RETURNS					
		PACKINGHOUSE-DOOR			ON-TREE		
		ALL	FRESH	PROCESS	ALL	FRESH	PROCESS
DOLLARS PER BOX 1/							
GRAPEFRUIT							
AZ	14.00	6.87	8.28	1.19	5.14	6.55	-0.54
CA	18.50	8.55	12.81	-0.21	6.82	11.08	-1.94
DESERT VALLEYS	14.00	5.95	8.28	-0.21	4.22	6.55	-1.94
OTHER AREAS	25.50	11.89	19.78	-0.21	10.16	18.05	-1.94
FL	15.20	5.76	9.46	2.24	4.15	7.86	0.62
WHITE SEEDLESS	14.70	5.03	9.00	2.40	3.43	7.40	0.80
COLORED SEEDLESS	15.70	7.14	10.00	1.70	5.51	8.40	0.00
CA-AZ							
DESERT VALLEYS	14.00	6.37	8.28	0.32	4.64	6.55	-1.41
US	15.90	6.56	10.23	1.73	4.91	8.58	0.09
LEMONS							
CA	37.90	26.09	30.48	2.16	23.06	27.45	-0.87
US	37.90	26.09	30.48	2.16	23.06	27.45	-0.87
LIMES							
FL	22.00	13.20	13.20		5.50	5.50	
ORANGES							
AZ							
VALENCIA	11.20	3.34	5.67	1.16	1.46	3.79	-0.72
CA							
VALENCIA	36.70	22.82	31.17	1.16	20.94	29.29	-0.72
FL							
VALENCIA	16.20	8.95	11.20	8.75	7.10	9.35	6.90
CA-AZ							
VALENCIA	36.30	22.37	30.78	1.16	20.49	28.90	-0.72
US	23.80	9.80	18.64	8.59	7.95	16.77	6.74

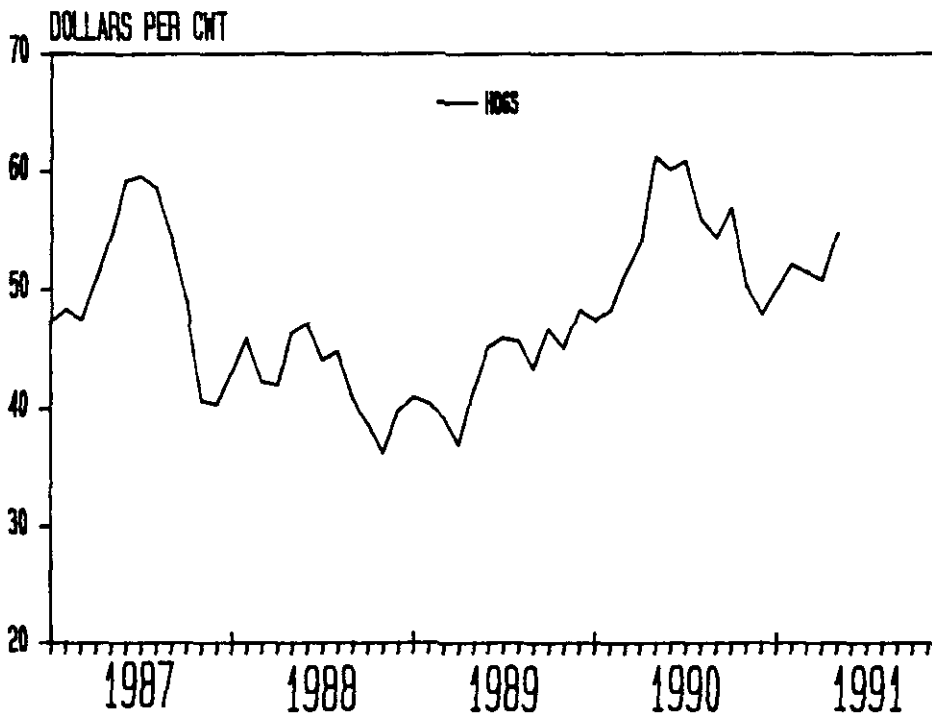
1/ APPROXIMATE NET CONTENTS PER BOX ARE AS FOLLOWS: GRAPEFRUIT - AZ AND CA DESERT VALLEY, 64 LBS; OTHER CA AREAS, 67 LBS; FL, 85 LBS; LEMONS - 76 LBS; LIMES - 88 LBS; ORANGES - AZ AND CA, 75 LBS; FL, 90 LBS.

HOGS: PRICES RECEIVED, BY STATES, APRIL AND MAY 1991

STATE	SOWS		BARROWS AND GILTS		ALL HOGS 1/	
	APR 2/	MAY 3/	APR 2/	MAY 3/	APR 2/	MAY 3/
	DOLLARS PER CWT					
AL	46.30	46.10	46.80	51.00	46.70	50.20
GA	47.00	44.60	49.70	55.20	49.30	54.70
IL	47.10	47.10	50.70	55.60	50.30	54.80
IN	44.20	43.70	51.70	57.30	51.20	56.30
IA	47.90	47.70	51.60	55.10	51.40	54.70
KS	46.20	45.80	49.70	54.80	49.20	53.40
KY	46.50	46.50	49.10	52.00	48.80	51.60
MI	43.40	44.00	50.00	53.00	49.40	52.20
MN	46.70	46.50	52.60	56.00	52.20	55.50
MO	45.10	44.50	50.10	55.60	49.90	55.30
NE	47.20	46.90	51.80	55.80	51.60	55.40
NC	43.90	43.00	47.90	53.10	47.80	52.80
OH	47.30	46.00	49.80	53.00	49.50	52.30
PA	45.20	44.00	51.80	56.30	51.00	54.80
SC	42.00	41.50	49.10	54.10	48.60	53.20
SD	46.80	46.60	51.90	57.10	51.40	56.10
TN	44.50	43.90	49.20	54.10	48.80	53.20
TX	45.00	45.40	47.60	51.00	47.30	50.40
VA	41.80	40.30	50.80	52.70	50.70	52.60
WI	43.90	43.90	50.00	54.90	49.40	53.80
US	46.50	46.20	51.20	55.20	50.80	54.70

1/ ENTIRE MONTH.
2/ MID-MONTH.

PRICES RECEIVED BY FARMERS, HOGS, US



SHEEP, WOOL, AND POULTRY: PRICES RECEIVED, BY STATES,
APRIL AND MAY 1991

STATE	SHEEP		LAMBS		MAY			
	APR 1/	MAY 2/	APR 1/	MAY 2/	WOOL 1/3/	TURKEYS 2/	BROILERS 1/4/	EGGS 2/5/
	DOLLARS PER CWT				DOLLARS PER POUND		DOL/DOZ	
AL							.305	.446
AZ	19.50	15.30	61.50	67.50				
AR						.40	.330	.500
CA	22.00	23.70	55.30	54.10	.67	.41	.295	.585
CO	24.30	21.00	54.40	58.00	.46			
CT								.920
DE							.325	
FL								.450
GA							.300	.468
ID	18.80	16.60	44.70	50.00	.35			
IL								
IN						.42		.490
IA	20.80	18.80	54.30	61.80	.13	.40		.395
KS	19.60	19.60	54.10	59.00	.40			
LA								
ME								.850
MD							.325	
MI								.480
MN	19.60	15.50	53.20	57.00	.24	.36		.430
MS							.305	.545
MO						.39		.413
MT	19.40	19.40	50.00	52.00	.50			
NE	21.50	17.50	58.00	66.00	.36			
NM	28.90	26.00	51.20	50.00	.80			
NY								.520
NC						.38	.290	.422
OH	17.60	16.00	59.20	60.00	.08			.420
OK								
OR	16.60	16.60	50.90	50.90	.20			
PA						.37	.320	.430
SC								.507
SD	19.10	14.00	58.20	61.20	.60			
TN								
TX	30.60	28.60	54.40	59.00	1.05		.350	.520
UT	22.80	22.00	42.30	41.00	.50			
VA						.38	.323	
WA								.577
WI								
WY	17.00	15.90	54.30	58.00	.60			
US	21.30	22.70	54.60	58.30	.674	.389	.313	.497

1/ ENTIRE MONTH. 2/ MID-MONTH. 3/ INCENTIVE PAYMENT NOT INCLUDED.
4/ LIVELINEWEIGHT EQUIVALENT PRICE EXCEPT FOR AR, CA, PA, AND TX. 5/ MARKET (TABLE) EGGS. INCLUDES EGGS SOLD RETAIL BY THE PRODUCER. 6/ NOT PUBLISHED TO AVOID DISCLOSURE OF INDIVIDUAL OPERATIONS.

MILK AND MILK COWS: PRICES RECEIVED, BY STATES, APRIL AND MAY 1991

STATE	APRIL				MAY				
	FLUID GRADE MILK 1/		MANUFACTURING GRADE MILK		ALL MILK 2/		ALL MILK 2/3/		MILK COWS 4/
	PRICE	FAT TEST	PRICE	FAT TEST	PRICE	FAT TEST	PRICE	FAT TEST	
DOL/CWT	PCT	DOL/CWT	PCT	DOL/CWT	PCT	DOL/CWT	PCT	DOL/HEAD	
AL	12.00	3.49	10.60	3.38	12.00	3.49	12.00	3.47	
AR	12.10	3.42	9.30	3.42	12.10	3.42	12.00	3.40	
CA	10.80	3.55	9.70	3.70	10.78	3.55	10.80	3.52	
CO	11.80	3.60			11.80	3.60	11.70	3.55	
FL	13.80	3.48			13.80	3.48	13.40	3.47	
GA	12.60	3.52			12.60	3.52	12.60	3.49	
ID	10.10	3.65	10.00	3.60	10.10	3.64	10.10	3.53	
IL	11.00	3.68	10.10	3.68	10.90	3.68	10.60	3.59	
IN	11.40	3.66	10.80	3.73	11.40	3.66	11.10	3.56	
IA	10.80	3.63	9.90	3.61	10.60	3.63	10.50	3.55	
KS	10.60	3.54	9.40	3.62	10.50	3.55	10.40	3.46	
KY	11.60	3.55	9.00	3.49	11.50	3.55	11.40	3.50	
LA	12.10	3.44			12.10	3.44	12.20	3.46	
MD	12.10	3.63			12.10	3.63	12.10	3.62	
MI	11.40	3.64	10.10	3.67	11.40	3.64	11.20	3.54	
MN	11.05	3.65	10.00	3.64	10.80	3.65	11.00	3.60	
MS	12.00	3.52	9.50	3.50	12.00	3.52	12.00	3.51	
MO	11.00	3.55	10.00	3.58	10.90	3.55	10.80	3.45	
NE	10.90	3.66	9.80	3.67	10.60	3.66	10.40	3.55	
NY	11.50	3.69			11.50	3.69	11.50	3.65	
NC	12.80	3.64	9.50	3.77	12.70	3.64	12.70	3.59	
ND	10.60	3.59	9.80	3.67	10.20	3.63	10.20	3.53	
OH	11.30	3.67	10.70	3.83	11.20	3.69	11.00	3.60	
OK	11.60	3.56	9.35	3.58	11.50	3.56	11.70	3.52	
OR	10.90	3.69	10.00	3.85	10.90	3.69	10.80	3.65	
PA	12.30	3.70	10.80	3.80	12.30	3.70	12.20	3.65	
TN	11.80	3.53	9.80	3.46	11.70	3.53	11.60	3.46	
TX	11.80	3.51			11.80	3.51	11.80	3.47	
UT	10.50	3.56	9.50	3.64	10.30	3.57	10.20	3.49	
VT	11.80	3.78			11.80	3.78	11.60	3.74	
VA	12.50	3.60	9.40	3.60	12.40	3.60	12.40	3.55	
WA	10.90	3.69			10.90	3.69	10.90	3.64	
WI	11.00	3.72	10.41	3.75	10.91	3.72	11.00	3.67	
US	11.40	3.63	10.10	3.67	11.30	3.63	11.30	3.58	

1/ INCLUDING SURPLUS DIVERTED TO MANUFACTURING. 2/ BEFORE DEDUCTIONS FOR HAULING AND GOVERNMENT WITHHOLDING. INCLUDES BULK-TANK, QUANTITY, AND OTHER PREMIUMS. EXCLUDES HAULING SUBSIDIES. 3/ PRELIMINARY. 4/ ANIMALS SOLD FOR DAIRY HERD REPLACEMENT ONLY. PRICES PUBLISHED JAN, APR, JUL AND OCT.

PARITY PRICE EQUIVALENT FOR MANUFACTURING MILK 1/: UNITED STATES, APRIL AND MAY 1991, WITH COMPARISONS

ITEM	MAY 1990	APR 1991	MAY 1991
PARITY EQUIVALENT.....DOL PER CWT	24.12	24.21	24.21
AVERAGE PRICE F.O.B.....DOL PER CWT	12.70	10.10	2/10.20
AVERAGE FAT TEST OF MILK...PERCENT	3.64	3.67	2/3.61

1/ THE PARITY PRICE EQUIVALENT DURING 1991 IS 91.7 PERCENT OF THE PARITY PRICE OF ALL MILK SOLD TO PLANTS, COMPARED WITH 92.4 PERCENT IN 1990. FOR ADDITIONAL DETAILS, SEE JANUARY 1991 ISSUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRICES.
2/ PRELIMINARY.

UNITED STATES PARITY PRICES FOR FARM PRODUCTS AND AVERAGE PRICES RECEIVED AS PERCENT OF PARITY PRICES BASED ON DATA FOR MAY 1991, WITH COMPARISONS 1/

COMMODITY AND UNIT	ADJUSTED: BASE PRICES	PARITY PRICES BASED ON DATA FOR			PRICES AS PERCENT OF PARITY		
		MAY 1990	APR 1991	MAY 1991	MAY 1990	APR 1991	MAY 1991
DOLLARS							
BASIC COMMODITIES							
ALL WHEAT, BU	.608	7.82	7.93	7.93	43	33	34
RICE, CWT	1.65	21.00	21.50	21.50	35	35	34
CORN, BU	.434	5.53	5.66	5.66	47	43	41
COTTON, LB							
AMERICAN UPLAND	.112	1.42	1.46	1.46	47	48	49
EXTRA LONG STAPLE	.156	2.01	2.04	2.04			
PEANUTS, LB	.0429	.529	.560	.560			
TOBACCO, BY TYPE, LB							
FLUE-CURED, 11-14	.216	3.30	2.82	2.82			
VA FIRE-CURED, 21	.208	2.58	2.71	2.71			
KY-TENN FIRE-CURED, 22-23	.266	3.26	3.47	3.47			
BURLEY, 31	.264	3.36	3.45	3.45			
MARYLAND, 32	.213	2.68	2.78	2.78		67	
DARK AIR-CURED, 35-36	.224	2.72	2.92	2.92			
SUN-CURED, 37	.185	2.34	2.41	2.41			
PA SEEDLEAF, 41	.140	1.64	1.83	1.83			
CIGAR FILLER & BINDER, 42-44, 53-55	.179	2.17	2.34	2.34			
PUERTO RICAN FILLER, 46	.173	2.19	2.26	2.26			
CIGAR BINDER, 51-52	.280	3.46	3.65	3.65			
DESIGNATED NONBASIC							
ALL MILK, SOLD TO PLANTS, PER CWT	2.05	26.10	26.80	26.80	2/54	2/43	2/44
HONEY, EXTRACTED, LB	3/.0879	1.17	1.15	1.15			
WOOL AND MOHAIR							
WOOL, LB	.257	3.19	3.35	3.35	4/29	4/17	4/20
MOHAIR, LB	.709	8.88	9.25	9.25			
OTHER NONBASIC							
BARLEY, BU	.381	4.90	4.97	4.97	48	42	41
COTTONSEED, TON	15.60	201.00	204.00	204.00			
DRY EDIBLE BEANS, CWT	3.39	42.80	44.20	44.20	78	44	45
FLAXSEED, BU	.913	11.60	11.90	11.90	71	39	38
OATS, BU	.258	3.32	3.37	3.37	44	34	34
POTATOES, CWT	.843	10.80	11.00	11.00	86	62	100
RYE, BU	.333	4.32	4.35	4.35			
SORGHUM GRAIN, CWT	.725	9.27	9.46	9.46	44	43	40
SOYBEANS, BU	.955	12.40	12.50	12.50	48	46	45
SWEETPOTATOES, CWT	2.07	26.80	27.00	27.00			
APPLES, FRESH, LB 5/ CITRUS (EQUIV ON-TREE), BOX:	.0246	.312	.321	.321	40	62	69
GRAPEFRUIT	.579	7.29	7.56	7.56	105	67	65
LEMONS	.707	8.90	9.23	9.23	137	179	250
LIMES (FLA)	1.41	17.10	18.40	18.40	167	264	30
ORANGES	.854	10.80	11.10	11.10	72	66	72
TANGERINES	1.34	16.90	17.50	17.50	35		
TEMPLES (FLA)	.686	8.64	8.95	8.95			
BEEF CATTLE, CWT	9.46	119.00	123.00	123.00	63	63	63
CALVES, CWT	11.30	141.00	147.00	147.00	72	74	72
HOGS, CWT	7.40	91.70	96.60	96.60	67	53	57
LAMBS, CWT	10.10	131.00	132.00	132.00	46	41	44
SHEEP, CWT	3.67	46.60	47.90	47.90	42	44	47
EGGS, DOZ	.0963	1.20	1.26	1.26	2/54	2/49	2/50
TURKEYS, LIVE, LB	.0622	.799	.812	.812	48	45	48

SEE FOOTNOTES ON FOLLOWING PAGE.

PARITY PRICES BASED ON DATA FOR MAY 1991, UNITED STATES 1/

OTHER NONBASIC COMMODITIES (CONT)	ADJ BASE PRICES	PARITY PRICES	OTHER NONBASIC COMMODITIES (CONT)	ADJ BASE PRICES	PARITY PRICES
	DOLLARS			DOLLARS	
FIELD CROPS AND MISC COMMODITIES			NONCITRUS FRUIT		
HOPS, LB	.263	3.43	PEARS, TON		
TOBACCO, LB			FRESH 5/	47.40	619.00
TYPE 61	2.36	30.80	DRIED, CALIF 7/	113.00	1470.00
NONCITRUS FRUIT			PLUMS, CALIF, TON:		
APPLES, TON 7/			FRESH, EQUIV		
PROCESSING	16.80	219.00	ON-TREE	54.30	709.00
APRICOTS, TON			PRUNES, DRIED,		
FRESH 8/	148.00	1930.00	CALIF, TON 7/	115.00	1500.00
DRIED, CALIF	308.00	4020.00	PRUNES AND PLUMS,		
AVOCADOS, TON 8/	114.00	1490.00	EXCL CALIF, TON:		
CHERRIES			FRESH 10/	57.70	753.00
SWEET, TON	115.00	1500.00	PROCESSING 7/		
TART, LB	.0434	.566	EXCL DRIED	16.30	213.00
CRANBERRY, BBL 6/	6.87	89.70	TREE NUTS 11/		
DATES, CA, TON 8/	126.00	1640.00	ALMONDS, LB	.159	2.07
GRAPES, TON			FILBERTS, TON	116.00	1510.00
RAISIN VARIETY	134.00	1750.00	WALNUTS, TON	144.00	1880.00
OTHER, DRIED	41.20	538.00	VEGETABLES, CWT 12/		
NECTARINES			FRESH		
FRESH, CALIF,			CARROTS 9/	1.49	19.40
TON 8/	54.30	709.00	CAULIFLOWER 9/	3.93	51.30
OLIVES, CALIF			CELERY 9/	1.82	23.80
CANNING, TON 6/	99.10	1290.00	HONEYDEW MELONS	2.19	28.60
PEACHES			LETTUCE	1.91	24.90
FRESH, LB 5/	.0389	.508	ONIONS 9/	1.71	22.30
DRIED, CALIF,			TOMATOES	3.97	51.80
TON	146.00	1910.00			
PROCESSING 6/					
EXCL DRIED					
CLINGSTONE,					
CALIF, TON:	29.10	380.00			

- 1/ PARITY PRICES ARE COMPUTED UNDER THE PROVISIONS OF TITLE III, SUBTITLE A, SECTION 301 (A) OF THE AGRICULTURAL ADJUSTMENT ACT OF 1938 AS AMENDED BY THE AGRICULTURAL ACTS OF 1948, 1949, AND 1956. SEE JANUARY AND JULY AGRICULTURAL PRICES FOR DETAILS ON ADJUSTED BASE PRICE AND PARITY PRICE COMPUTATIONS.
- 2/ SEASONALLY ADJUSTED PRICE AS PERCENTAGE OF PARITY PRICE.
- 3/ WHOLESALE EXTRACTED. ADJUSTED BASE PRICE DERIVED FROM STATE ANNUAL AVERAGES PRICES WEIGHTED BY PRODUCTION. FOR 1982 THROUGH 1985 THE NATIONAL AVERAGES ARE THE SUPPORT PRICES.
- 4/ AVERAGE LOCAL MARKET PRICE, EXCLUDING INCENTIVE PAYMENTS.
- 5/ EQUIVALENT PACKINGHOUSE-DOOR RETURNS FOR CA, NY (APPLES ONLY), OR (EXCEPT PEACHES), AND WA. PRICE AT POINT OF FIRST SALE FOR OTHER STATES.
- 6/ EQUIVALENT RETURNS FOR BULK FRUIT AT FIRST DELIVERY POINT.
- 7/ EQUIVALENT RETURNS AT PROCESSING PLANT DOOR.
- 8/ EQUIVALENT RETURNS AT PACKINGHOUSE DOOR.
- 9/ INCLUDES SOME PROCESSING.
- 10/ BASED ON "AS SOLD" PRICES FOR FRESH FRUIT IN ALL STATES.
- 11/ PRICES IN-SHELL BASIS EXCEPT ALMONDS WHICH ARE SHELLS BASIS.
- 12/ F.O.B. SHIPPING POINT PRICES.

COTTON: PRICES RECEIVED BY FARMERS (MONTHLY) AS REVISED AND
PRELIMINARY MARKETING YEAR AVERAGE PRICE (MYAP), 1990

STATE AND TYPE	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC	JAN	FEB	MAR	MYAP
DOLLARS PER POUND									
UPLAND									
AL	0.713	0.627	0.643	0.656	0.670	0.678	0.789	0.808	0.687
AZ		0.702	0.687	0.706	0.722	0.659	0.685	0.732	0.699
AR	0.625	0.650	0.656	0.650	0.657	0.644	0.666	0.639	0.653
CA	0.775	0.758	0.742	0.747	0.776	0.787	0.811	0.791	0.757
FL									0.680
GA	0.734	0.665	0.682	0.683	0.690	0.706	0.758	0.769	0.692
KS									0.631
LA	0.645	0.666	0.662	0.651	0.662	0.640	0.691	0.653	0.657
MS	0.631	0.656	0.648	0.646	0.644	0.630	0.664	0.646	0.644
MO									0.653
NM									0.708
NC									0.690
OK									0.631
SC									0.682
TN	0.622	0.647	0.657	0.651	0.688	0.638	0.705	0.642	0.663
TX	0.645	0.635	0.635	0.630	0.621	0.625	0.639	0.655	0.630
VA									0.690
US	0.647	0.651	0.675	0.680	0.659	0.642	0.679	0.685	0.664
PIMA									
AZ									1.020
CA									1.040
MS									0.900
NM									1.170
TX									1.060
US									1.040

COTTONSEED: PRICES RECEIVED BY FARMERS AS REVISED AND PRELIMINARY
MARKETING YEAR AVERAGE PRICES (MYAP), 1990

STATE	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC	JAN	FEB	MYAP
DOLLARS PER TON								
AL		86.00	102.00	103.00	110.00			96.50
AZ		140.00	134.00	137.00	137.00	137.00	137.00	136.00
AR		110.00	105.00	107.00	112.00			106.00
CA			145.00	146.00	158.00	178.00	178.00	148.00
FL								100.00
GA		130.00	130.00	124.00	115.00	130.00		127.00
KS								107.00
LA		114.00	117.00	118.00				116.00
MS		110.00	110.00	110.00	110.00			110.00
MO								107.00
NM								143.00
NC								112.00
OK								107.00
SC								121.00
TN		110.00	110.00	113.00	110.00			111.00
TX	123.00	123.00	119.00	117.00	112.00	111.00	108.00	116.00
VA								112.00
US	123.00	115.00	121.00	123.00	118.00	122.00	134.00	121.00

TOBACCO: MARKETING YEAR AVERAGE PRICE RECEIVED BY TYPE,
BY STATES, CROPS OF 1989 AND 1990 1/

CURE, AREA AND STATE	TYPE	1989	1990
DOLLARS PER POUND			
FLUE-CURED:			
OLD & MIDDLE BELTS			
NC	11	1.683	1.682
VA	11	1.686	1.701
US	11	1.684	1.687
EASTERN NC BELT			
NC	12	1.675	1.692
NC BORDER & SC BELT			
NC	13	1.658	1.633
SC	13	1.663	1.586
US	13	1.661	1.606
GA-FL BELT			
FL	14	1.676	1.730
GA	14	1.670	1.683
US	14	1.671	1.690
TOTAL FLUE-CURED	11-14	1.674	1.673
FIRE-CURED:			
VA BELT			
VA	21	1.537	1.602
EASTERN DISTRICT			
KY	22	1.963	1.941
TN	22	2.033	1.990
US	22	2.010	1.974
WESTERN DISTRICT			
KY	23	1.942	1.899
TN	23	1.942	1.900
US	23	1.942	1.899
KY-TN FIRE-CURED	22-23	1.990	1.952
TOTAL FIRE-CURED	21-23	1.951	1.924
AIR-CURED:			
LIGHT AIR-CURED:			
BURLEY			
IN	31	1.673	1.760
KY	31	1.674	1.755
MO	31	1.625	1.742
NC	31	1.666	1.743
OH	31	1.673	1.755
TN	31	1.670	1.747
VA	31	1.668	1.744
WV	31	1.652	1.745
US	31	1.672	1.753
SOUTHERN MD BELT			
MD	32	1.698	1.870
PA	32	1.540	1.740
US	32	1.624	1.816
TOTAL LIGHT AIR-CURED	31-32	1.671	1.755
DARK AIR-CURED:			
ONE-SUCKER BELT			
KY	35	1.757	1.899
TN	35	1.748	1.854
US	35	1.755	1.891
GREEN RIVER BELT			
KY	36	1.576	1.787
KY-TN DARK AIR-CURED	35-36	1.701	1.863

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TOBACCO: MARKETING YEAR AVERAGE PRICE RECEIVED BY TYPE,
BY STATES, CROPS OF 1989 AND 1990 1/ (CONTINUED)

CURE, AREA AND STATE	TYPE	1989	1990
DOLLARS PER POUND			
VA SUN-CURED BELT	37	1.351	1.456
VA			
TOTAL DARK AIR-CURED	35-37	1.695	1.858
ALL CURES OTHER THAN CIGAR	11-37	1.679	1.711
CIGAR FILLER:			
PA SEEDLEAF			
PA	41	1.270	1.390
CIGAR BINDER:			
CT VALLEY BROADLEAF			
CT	51	1.800	2.500
MA	51	1.800	2.500
US	51	1.800	2.500
WI BINDER, SOUTHERN			
WI	54	1.500	1.500
WI BINDER, NORTHERN			
WI	55	1.500	1.500
TOTAL WI BINDER	54-55	1.500	1.500
TOTAL BINDER	51-55	1.530	1.578
CIGAR WRAPPER:			
CT VALLEY SHADE-GROWN			
CT	61	21.700	23.000
MA	61	21.700	23.000
US	61	21.700	23.000
TOTAL CIGAR TYPES	41-61	3.226	3.351
US ALL TOBACCO	11-61	1.708	1.742

1/ REVISED 1989 AND PRELIMINARY 1990.

TOBACCO: MARKETING YEAR AVERAGE PRICE RECEIVED BY
STATES, 1989 AND 1990 1/

STATE	1989	1990	STATE	1989	1990
DOLLARS PER POUND			DOLLARS PER POUND		
CT	14.100	16.400	NC	1.675	1.683
FL	1.676	1.730	OH	1.673	1.755
GA	1.670	1.683	PA	1.378	1.508
IN	1.673	1.760	SC	1.663	1.586
KY	1.684	1.762	TN	1.731	1.783
MD	1.698	1.870	VA	1.678	1.707
MA	16.800	18.100	WV	1.652	1.745
MO	1.625	1.742	WI	1.500	1.500

1/ REVISED.

TOBACCO: PRICES RECEIVED BY TYPES, BY STATES, JULY 1989-MAY 1990 1/

CURE, AREA AND STATE	TYPE	1989					1990					
		JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY
DOLLARS PER POUND												
FLUE-CURED:												
OLD AND MIDDLE BELTS												
NC	11		1.600	1.730	1.710	1.575						
VA	11		1.590	1.720	1.720	1.620						
US	11		1.595	1.725	1.715	1.590						
EASTERN NC BELT												
NC	12		1.615	1.730	1.685	1.675						
NC BORDER & SC BELT												
NC	13		1.575	1.730	1.680							
SC	13		1.600	1.730	1.670							
US	13		1.590	1.730	1.675							
GA-FL BELT												
FL	14	1.425	1.705	1.770	1.630							
GA	14	1.440	1.705	1.755	1.595							
US	14	1.435	1.705	1.755	1.605							
TOTAL FLUE-CURED	11-14	1.435	1.620	1.730	1.690	1.600						
FIRE-CURED:												
VA BELT												
VA	21					1.520	1.550	1.490				
EASTERN DISTRICT												
KY	22								2.085	1.920	1.685	
TN	22								2.160	1.995	1.560	
US	22								2.135	1.970	1.590	
WESTERN DISTRICT												
KY	23								2.000	1.895	1.775	
TN	23								2.000	1.895	1.770	
US	23								1.200	1.895	1.770	
KY-TN FIRE-CURED	22-23								2.080	1.950	1.625	
TOTAL FIRE-CURED	21-23					1.520	1.550	2.065	1.950	1.625		
AIR-CURED:												
LIGHT AIR-CURED:												
BURLEY												
IN	31					1.670	1.670	1.675	1.675			
KY	31					1.675	1.675	1.675	1.675			
MO	31					1.640	1.645	1.615				
NC	31					1.665	1.670	1.675				
OH	31					1.670	1.675	1.675	1.670			
TN	31					1.670	1.670	1.670				
VA	31					1.665	1.670	1.665				
WV	31					1.645	1.655	1.655				
US	31					1.670	1.675	1.675	1.675			
SOUTHERN MD BELT												
MD	32											1.700
TOTAL LIGHT AIR-CURED	31-32					1.670	1.675	1.675	1.675			1.700
DARK AIR-CURED:												
ONE SUCKER BELT												
KY	35							1.790	1.725			
TN	35							1.755	1.745			
US	35							1.785	1.730			
GREEN RIVER BELT												
KY	36							1.610	1.550			
KY-TN DARK AIR-CURED	35-36							1.690	1.660			
VA SUN-CURED BELT												
VA	37							1.390	1.250			
TOTAL DARK AIR-CURED	35-36											
TOTAL ALL CURES	11-37	1.435	1.620	1.730	1.690	1.670	1.675	1.695	1.830	1.625	1.700	

1/ REVISED.

TOBACCO: PRICES RECEIVED BY TYPES, BY STATES, JULY 1990-MAY 1991 1/

CURE, AREA AND STATE	TYPE	1990						1991				
		JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY
DOLLARS PER POUND												
FLUE-CURED:												
OLD AND MIDDLE BELTS												
NC	11	1.595	1.580	1.720	1.735	1.625						
VA	11	1.610	1.575	1.750	1.750	1.655						
US	11	1.600	1.580	1.725	1.740	1.635						
EASTERN NC BELT												
NC	12	1.565	1.620	1.770	1.735							
NC BORDER & SC BELT												
NC	13	1.550	1.585	1.700	1.655							
SC	13	1.530	1.540	1.650	1.600							
US	13	1.540	1.560	1.675	1.625							
GA-FL BELT												
FL	14	1.545	1.725	1.835	1.805							
GA	14	1.545	1.670	1.780	1.705							
US	14	1.545	1.680	1.790	1.720							
TOTAL FLUE-CURED	11-14	1.555	1.605	1.740	1.715	1.635						
FIRE-CURED:												
VA BELT												
VA	21					1.515	1.650			1.600		
EASTERN DISTRICT												
KY	22						1.995	1.935	1.730			
TN	22						2.030	1.975	1.785			
US	22						2.020	1.965	1.760			
WESTERN DISTRICT												
KY	23						1.925	1.920	1.740			
TN	23						1.925	1.920	1.740			
US	23						1.925	1.920	1.740			
KY-TN FIRE-CURED	22-23						1.995	1.950	1.755			
TOTAL FIRE-CURED	21-23					1.515	1.650	1.995	1.950	1.680		
AIR-CURED:												
LIGHT AIR-CURED:												
BURLEY												
IN	31					1.745	1.755	1.770	1.755			
KY	31					1.745	1.750	1.775	1.755			
MO	31					1.725	1.735	1.760				
NC	31					1.735	1.740	1.770				
OH	31					1.740	1.745	1.770				
TN	31					1.745	1.745	1.770				
VA	31					1.735	1.740	1.770				
WV	31					1.735	1.740	1.760				
US	31					1.745	1.750	1.770	1.755			
SOUTHERN MD BELT												
MD	32										1.870	
TOTAL LIGHT AIR-CURED	31-32					1.745	1.750	1.770	1.755		1.870	
DARK AIR-CURED:												
ONE SUCKER BELT												
KY	35						1.955	1.760	1.420			
TN	35						2.070	1.685	1.105			
US	35						1.970	1.735	1.370			
GREEN RIVER BELT												
KY	36						1.850	1.780	1.510			
KY-TN DARK AIR-CURED	35-36						1.910	1.745	1.465			
VA SUN-CURED BELT												
VA	37						1.460	1.420				
TOTAL DARK AIR-CURED	35-36											
TOTAL ALL CURES	11-37	1.555	1.605	1.740	1.715	1.740	1.750	1.790	1.890	1.680	1.870	

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TOBACCO: PRICES RECEIVED MONTHLY, BY STATES,
JULY 1989-MAY 1990 1/

STATE	1989				1990						
	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY
	DOLLARS PER POUND										
FL	1.425	1.705	1.770	1.630							
GA	1.440	1.705	1.755	1.595							
IN					1.670	1.670	1.675	1.675			
KY					1.675	1.680	1.690	1.765	1.725		
MD										1.700	
MO					1.640	1.645	1.615				
NC		1.605	1.730	1.690	1.645	1.670	1.675				
OH					1.670	1.675	1.675	1.670			
SC		1.600	1.730	1.670							
TN					1.670	1.675	1.815	1.990	1.570		
VA		1.590	1.720	1.720	1.655	1.645	1.650				
WV					1.645	1.655	1.655				
US	1.435	1.620	1.730	1.690	1.670	1.675	1.700	1.830	1.625	1.700	

1/ REVISED.

TOBACCO: PRICES RECEIVED MONTHLY, BY STATES,
JULY 1990-MAY 1991 1/

STATE	1990				1991						
	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY
	DOLLARS PER POUND										
FL	1.545	1.725	1.835	1.805							
GA	1.545	1.670	1.780	1.705							
IN					1.745	1.755	1.770	1.755			
KY					1.745	1.755	1.780	1.845	1.735		
MD										1.870	
MO					1.725	1.735	1.760				
NC	1.565	1.605	1.740	1.725	1.685	1.740	1.770				
OH					1.740	1.745	1.770				
SC	1.530	1.540	1.650	1.600							
TN					1.745	1.745	1.860	1.970	1.780		
VA	1.610	1.575	1.750	1.750	1.710	1.720	1.770				
WV					1.735	1.740	1.760				
US	1.555	1.605	1.740	1.715	1.740	1.750	1.790	1.890	1.680	1.870	

1/ REVISED.

FEED PRICE RATIOS, MONTHLY, UNITED STATES,
JANUARY 1988 - MAY 1991

YEAR	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC	AVERAGE
MILK-FEED RATIO 2/													
1988	1.51	1.47	1.43	1.40	1.37	1.36	1.15	1.19	1.26	1.32	1.36	1.38	1.34
1989	1.38	1.35	1.30	1.29	1.28	1.29	1.37	1.43	1.52	1.63	1.71	1.76	1.44
1990 3/	1.67	1.56	1.49	1.48	1.49	1.52	1.55	1.58	1.54	1.45	1.40	1.31	1.50
1991 4/	1.31	1.31	1.27	1.27	1.27								
TURKEY-FEED RATIO 5/													
1988	2.9	2.6	2.5	2.7	2.8	3.0	3.0	3.1	3.4	3.6	3.6	2.9	2.8
1989	2.7	3.0	3.1	3.4	3.5	3.5	3.3	3.3	2.9	3.1	3.3	3.2	3.2
1990 3/	3.0	2.8	3.0	3.1	3.2	3.2	3.3	3.4	3.4	3.3	3.6	3.1	3.2
1991 4/	2.9	2.9	3.2	3.1	3.3								

1/ Simple average of monthly ratios.

2/ Pounds of 16% mixed dairy feed equal in value to one pound of whole milk.

3/ Revised.

4/ Preliminary.

5/ Number of pounds of turkey grower feed equal in value to one pound of turkey, live weight.

FEED PRICE RATIOS, MONTHLY, UNITED STATES,
DECEMBER 1987 - MAY 1991

YEAR	DEC	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	AVERAGE
HOG-CORN RATIO: U.S. 3/													
1988	23.4	24.3	25.0	22.7	22.3	23.9	19.5	16.2	16.9	15.7	15.0	14.4	19.9
1989	15.7	15.7	15.6	15.1	14.4	16.1	17.9	18.6	20.1	19.0	21.0	20.1	17.4
1990 4/	21.2	20.5	20.8	21.6	21.4	23.4	22.9	23.2	22.3	23.4	25.9	23.2	22.5
1991 5/	21.5	22.0	22.5	21.5	21.0	23.4							
EGG-FEED RATIO 6/													
1988	5.7	5.5	5.3	5.6	5.2	5.0	5.3	4.9	4.9	5.4	5.3	5.4	5.8
1989	5.5	6.0	5.8	7.4	6.3	5.9	6.1	6.2	6.9	6.8	7.2	7.9	6.5
1990 4/	8.3	8.4	7.1	8.0	7.3	6.2	6.4	5.4	6.4	6.7	7.4	7.3	7.1
1991 5/	7.7	8.0	6.8	8.1	6.7	6.1							
BROILER-FEED RATIO 7/													
1988	2.5	2.7	2.7	2.8	3.1	3.7	4.1	3.3	3.4	3.2	2.8	2.7	3.1
1989	2.8	2.8	2.8	3.1	3.3	3.7	3.5	3.3	3.0	3.1	2.7	2.6	3.1
1990 4/	2.5	2.7	3.0	3.2	3.0	3.2	3.1	3.3	3.0	3.1	2.7	2.7	3.0
1991 5/	2.7	2.9	2.8	2.9	2.9	3.0							

1/ December previous year.

2/ Simple average of monthly ratios for marketing year, December through November.

3/ Number of bushels of corn equal in value to 100 pounds of hog live weight.

4/ Revised.

5/ Preliminary.

6/ Number of pounds of laying feed equal in value to one dozen eggs.

7/ Number of pounds of broiler grower feed equal in value to one pound of broiler live weight.

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	ALL EGGS		MARKET EGGS	
	FROM	TO	FROM	TO
DEC	.828	.829	.776	.771
JAN	.838	.839	.788	.780
FEB	.704	.709	.631	.623
MAR	.793	.789	.731	.716
APR	.714	.720	.642	.639
MAY	.602	.612	.512	.509
JUN	.627	.633	.542	.537
JUL	.556	.573	.466	.472
AUG	.656	.661	.582	.581
SEP	.685	.688	.616	.609
OCT	.735	.730	.665	.654
NOV	.729	.731	.662	.659

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	FROM	TO
GA	15.70	15.80
IL	12.80	12.90
OR	13.30	13.20
WI	13.45	13.47

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	FROM	TO
NY	3.66	3.65

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	FROM	TO
APR		
ID	12.10	12.00
KS	12.90	13.00
MAY		
NC	14.90	15.00
JUN		
MS	14.40	14.30
JUL		
OK	14.40	14.50
WI	14.10	14.25
SEP		
MO	14.00	14.10
OCT		
MS	16.00	16.10
MO	13.20	13.10
WI	12.11	12.12

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JAN			
	MO	3.78	3.79
APR			
	MO	3.67	3.60
	OR	3.64	3.65
AUG			
	OR	3.53	3.54
DEC			
	AR	3.82	3.73

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JAN			
	MS	13.90	16.90
MAR			
	VA	15.80	15.70
AUG			
	IA	13.80	14.00
NOV			
	MO	12.80	12.70

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